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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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| Attorney Docket No.  | 725.1151               |
| Application Number   | 10/045,664             |
| Filing Date          | January 15, 2002       |
| First Named Inventor | Hiroki TAKAOKA, et al. |
| Group Art Unit       | 2857                   |

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

110.00

Examiner Name

Felix E. SUAREZ

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)**

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED  | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest Number Previously Paid For | Number Extra | Rate         | Calculations |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| TOTAL CLAIMS       | 16                               | - 28 =                             | 0            | X \$ 18.00 = | \$ 0.00      |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | 8                                | - 8 =                              | 0            | X \$ 88.00 = | 0.00         |

Since an Official Action set an original due date of October 15, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110)); (2 months (\$430)); (3 months (\$980)); (4 months (\$1,530)); (5 months (\$2,080));

110.00

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$340.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

\$ 110.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 &amp; 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE =

\$ 110.00

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:

Hiroki TAKAOKA

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Serial No: 10/045,664

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For: VEHICLE INFORMATION PROVIDING APPARATUS, VEHICLE INFORMATION PROVIDING SYSTEM, VEHICLE INFORMATION PROVIDING METHOD, COMPUTER PROGRAM, AND COMPUTER READABLE STORAGE MEDIUM

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed July 15, 2004, having a shortened period for response set to expire on October 15, 2004. A petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to November 15, 2004.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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